

Office Republic,  
Thursday, Sept. 12, 1900.  
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Market firm and land firm.  
 Pork—New standard lobbing f. a, b. \$12.50.  
 Lard—Choice No. 1, 2, side \$8.75.  
 Grain Ham—No. 1, 2, side \$12.50, f. c, b. \$12.  
 Cured: Hams—On basis \$4c. for 16-lbs. and \$4.50c. for 14s. New York shoulders at 6c. From the stock, delivered: Run-of-house hams at \$4.10; bel-  
 lowed at 3c. to 3.10c. in average.  
 D. S. Meats—Rad. 1000—Shorts \$1.75.  
 Rib 7 lbs.; clear sides 8c.; bellies 9.50c.; as in  
 average; plates 7c. Dealers charge higher on  
 mail orders.  
 Bacon—No. 1, 2, c. meats in a lobbing way.  
 Breakfast bacon 1914 for heavy to 125c. for fancy  
 bell; hams 1914 11.50c. California 10.50c.

**California Dried Fruits.**  
New York, Sept. 12.—Aside from a few orders for choice grades of evaporated apples, no buyers for immediate wants, nor features were conspicuous by their absence. The market, however, maintained a firm undertone at unchanged prices. Conditions were quoted from 2 to 3c per lb. for choice, and 1 1/2 to 2c for inferior. California dried fruit was inactive. Prunes were quoted from 2 1/2 to 3c per lb., as to size and quality. Apples—Royal 10c; Moor Park 15c; Pa-

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.  
Chicago, Ill., Sept. 12.—Wheat was strong to-day and closed 14c higher than it did yesterday and the other grain markets firm

100 lb. hull; Western 2580's. Wheat—Receipts 175,000 bushels; 119,600 bushels; 1,675,000 bushels; 200,000 bushels. First grade elevator; 115¢ f. o. b. alfalfa; No. 2 red 75¢ elevator; No. 1 Northern Duluth 83¢ f. o. b. alfalfa; No. 1 hard Duluth 83¢ f. o. b. alfalfa. Options were steady today in response to positive strength in the Northern Hemisphere. The market was besides active covering at times, there was moderate foreign buying and a broader speculative trade. Generally helped by increased export trade. Closed strong at 84½¢ net higher. Sales included: 100,000 bushels; March 83½¢; closed 83½¢; May 84½¢; closed 83½¢; Dec. 81½¢; closed 81½¢; Dec. 81½¢; closed 81½¢; Dec. 81½¢; closed 81½¢.

Few offerings of Western horses were available, but the native supply was more liberal than for several weeks. A good buyer's price, representing all quarters, export Eastern and Western, was \$100 to \$125. Extra good Eastern chunks of prime quality stock, with the best prices of the past several months, a few expressers and coach horses were scarce but very strong sellers under a good foreign and Eastern demand. A fair demand existed for Eastern farm chunks, while the Western had a free outlet at last week's prices.

Horse quotations—Heavy draft, common to good, \$90 to \$150; choice to fancy \$165 to \$250.

**Hides and Leather.**—New York, Sept. 12.—Hides firm; leather firm. London, Sept. 12.—The sale of sheepskins was held to-day at 10 o'clock. The market offered numbered 3,223. There was the usual number of attendants, but competition was unsatisfactory, much of the stock being withdrawn at an average bid

**\$2,500,000 Bond Issue.**

Chicago, Sept. 12.—The Drainage has adopted the report of the joint committee for a \$2,500,000 bond issue.

The money will be used for river improvements, including the erection of bridges in substitution for the center bridges across the river.

**A Reliable Headache Cure.**

### Iron Trade Review Takes Ho View of the Situation.

The Reverend A. J. Marshall will deliver a sermon at 7:30 p. m. at the First Baptist Church, Second St. S. R. Moore, pastor of the Church of Christ, will deliver the sermon of the convention, which will be "The Heroic in Christianity."

## NEWS OF THE CHURCHES

The Reverend William Scott, rector of Peter's Episcopal Church, has returned here from a visit to the University of Chicago, Ill., and will conduct service next Sunday as usual.

The gospel text meetings at Park Ohio avenues are still in progress and are being well attended. To-morrow at 7:30 p. m. the Rev. Dr. J. H. Allen D. Pomeroy will speak on the text, "Ye Must Be Born Again to Enter the Kingdom of Heaven." The subject for next Sunday is "Sinners."

The Christian Endeavors of the Cabanne Christian Church will soon have a convocation of that part of the city in the interests of the Sunday school. The movement is headed by Miss N. Law, who is chairman of the society.

The Baptist Young People's Union of Lafayette Park Church held a trolley excursion last night from the church to Coeur Lake and return. Two of the

**WOULD RATHER BE SINGLE**  
**Fifteen-Year-Old Bride's Dec**  
**After Five Days.**

After five days of married life, Mrs. Ream, the 15-year-old wife of Andrew Ream, a conductor on the Sixth street car line, has decided to give up the vision of the ideal home and to say she would rather be single. She says she was "fed up" with her husband, who was very much perturbed, and is making effort to effect a reconciliation.

Before her marriage, Mrs. Ream was Dateri, and was employed in a boarding house at No. 4564 South Broadway. A few days after her wedding, she was on the board. He soon became attracted to a girl, and concluded that a wife and two children came to the house and to the board. He notified this conclusion to the girl, and the result of the conversation was that the room he objected was raised by her mother. The room he married into was the second apartment at No. 4564 South Broadway. He remained there until Tuesday morning, when the wife suddenly departed, taking with her a trunk full of clothing.

ing he called at the home of the mother, at No. 2123 Gasconade street, his efforts to effect a reconciliation were availing. As far as can be learned

**ENGINEER COCHRANE'S REPLY**

**Discusses Appointment of Firemen for City Buildings.**

City Engineer Alex. Cochrane of the Department of the Board of Public Improvement has filed a reply for submission to President McMath, after the latter had called for a report on the Municipal Assembly motion to have firemen appointed by the city rather than by the fire department. Cochrane has the charge will have some voice in selecting and retaining or discharging their subordinates. He says that the firemen now employed waste fuel, and the engineers are unable to exercise any authority because the firemen proceed their position on the basis of some political "pull" and the engineers cannot dictate against a structure without having the authority of the firemen, the firemen having certain authority with respect to the structure who are responsible for their appointment.

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that the rules governing the appoint  
be so changed that the engineers,  
whom the firemen have to work shall

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